

# BARRICK MERCUR GOLD MINES, INC.

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Mr. Lowell Braxton, Administrator  
Mineral Resource Development & Reclamation Program  
Utah Department of Natural Resources  
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining  
355 West North Temple  
3 Triad Center, Suite 350  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203

Re: Mercur Canyon Project

Dear Lowell:

Please find attached the "Notice of Intention to Commence Mining Operations and Mining and Reclamation Plan" for our proposed Marion Hill, Golden Gate and Sacramento pits. This application was prepared for Barrick by JBR Consultants Group of Salt Lake City.

Please note that the calculations and details necessary for determination of the surety bond amount for the proposed new disturbance are not included. Said information will be submitted to your office in the near future.

I trust you will find this application complete and thorough thus providing for a timely review period. Should you or your staff have any questions concerning this application, please contact me at extension 313.

Respectfully,



Glenn M. Eurick  
Environmental and Occupational  
Health Coordinator

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Attachment

cc: F. D. Wicks  
J. C. Sprague  
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